

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 6 as denoted in the following listing. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) A communication device comprising:

service designating means for designating a service; [[,]]

detection means for detecting communication devices capable of communicating with a local communication device;

attribute information acquiring means for acquiring attribute information for the detected communication devices, wherein said attribute information includes information regarding services capable of being provided by the detected communication devices;

selection means for selecting, on the basis of the acquired attribute information, one or more of the detected communication devices capable of providing the designated service;

display means for displaying discrimination information for discriminating the communication devices selected by said selection means, wherein a user is capable of selecting, using the displayed discrimination information, one or more of the communication devices for executing an application; and

application execution instruction sending means for sending instruction information for executing ~~a predetermined~~ the application to the one or more communication devices selected for executing the application ~~displayed by said display means.~~

2-4. (Canceled)

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5. (Previously presented) A communication device according to claim 1 further comprising:

application execution instruction receiving means for executing a predetermined application when instruction information for executing the application is received from one of the detected communication devices.

6. (Currently amended) A communication method comprising:

designating a service;

detecting communication devices capable of communicating with a local communication device;

acquiring attribute information for the detected communication devices, wherein said attribute information includes services capable of being provided by the detected communication devices;

selecting, on the basis of the acquired attribute information, one or more of the detected communication devices capable of providing the designated service;

displaying discrimination information for discriminating the selected communication devices;

selecting, using the displayed discrimination information, one or more of the communication devices for executing an application; and

sending instruction information for executing ~~a predetermined~~ the application to the communications devices selected for executing the application ~~displayed communication device~~.

7-9. (Canceled)

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10. (Previously presented) A communication method according to claim 6,
further comprising:

executing a predetermined application when instruction information for executing the
application is received from one of the detected communication devices.

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